

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation. We need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. Furthermore, the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard.

I am a great supporter of my local public radio station, WAMC (I don't own a TV). I support this truly great station because it provides both conservative and liberal speakers, including those you can't hear anywhere else, like Scott Ritter.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest, including coverage that is truly "fair and balanced" (unlike that of Fox). If Sinclair stations are permitted to broadcast this documentary, then they should provide equal time to the opposition, say by airing during prime time, Michael Moore's "Fahrenheit 911."  
Thank you.